



# DIDSBURY PIONEER



Vol XXIII

THURSDAY, JAN. 13th, 1927

No. 2

Prunes No. 5 **The Hub** Good Matches  
(Midland) .65 Carton .35

Start the New Year aright.

Use Robin Hood Flour and Robin Hood Products

Every sack guaran-  
teed.



Makes more bread  
and better bread.

Robin Hood  
Granules

Robin Hood Whole  
Wheat Flour - Robin  
Hood Oats.

Robin Hood  
Graham.

Have you tried the New Robin Hood Quick  
Cooker, with their new premium. It is a lovely  
pattern and the oats are splendid.

We ship poultry  
anytime. Phone 42

*J. R. Miller*



## TO HELP YOU with YOUR INCOME TAX RETURN

TO assist the income tax payers of this commu-  
nity in preparing their returns for the year  
1926, due on April 30th next, the Bank of Montreal  
has issued a booklet on

### THE CANADIAN INCOME TAX ACT

This booklet, compiled from authoritative sources,  
containing not only the full text of the law but also  
clear interpretations and illustrative examples, may  
be obtained without charge, on application to our  
nearest Branch.

## BANK OF MONTREAL

Established 1817

Total Assets in excess of \$750,000,000

Didsbury Branch: J. C. CLARKE, Manager

## Marquis Wheat

### AN APPRECIATION

#### TO THE EDITOR:-

In these days of new varieties, which seem to appear overnight, the qualities of old and proven sorts are apt to be overlooked.

About a year ago when the inter-  
im payment from the Wheat Pool  
came round I decided to invest  
mine in pure seed, so I ordered ten  
bushels of registered Marquis  
wheat from the government seed  
branch. The delivery was delayed  
for some reason or another and I  
did not sow as early as I would  
have liked, as the land had been  
ready for almost two weeks, which  
would have made quite a difference  
last fall. However, I sowed the  
ten bushels on seven and a half  
acres of old land which had been  
manured and fallowed the previous  
summer. The seed came up well,  
but growth was checked and quite  
a lot of plants turned yellow after  
the high wind and frost late last  
spring. Rain delayed sowing for  
a few days, but the crop was  
stacked about the middle of Octo-  
ber and threshed just before Christ-  
mas, and yielded 480 bushels from  
the seven acres.

For a good year and God's bless-  
ing on grower, ground, and grain.

Yours truly,  
John B. Worthington

## The Lebanon.

(D. C. Eby)

"Lebanon is ashamed and hewn  
down." (Isa. 33:9). "Is it not  
yet and a very little while, and  
Lebanon shall be turned into a  
fruitful field? (Isa. 29:17). What  
a pleasant land this would be  
even now were it not for war,  
poverty and distress.

Beirut is beautifully situated on  
the south side of St. George's Bay  
in the narrow, garden-girt coast  
plain. The sea with its ever  
changing color and mood is  
beautiful indeed. To the east  
are the Lebanon mountains and the  
contrast between the rosy tint of the  
mountains and the deep blue of  
the sea is highly picturesque,  
especially by evening light. Be-  
yond the narrow plain by the sea  
the mountains rise rapidly to  
several thousand feet.

On the plain the tall stately  
palm trees are loaded with im-  
mense clusters of dates which be-  
gin to ripen in September. The  
fruit hangs down from among  
the long palm leaves which grow  
at the top of the tree. Here also  
banana plants are grown, which  
bear a large bunch of small ban-  
anas. The plants are 8 to 12  
feet high and bear only once, then  
they are cut down and a new  
sprout comes up in its place.  
They produce fruit all seasons  
of the year.

The mountains look green with  
the shrubbery, scrub-oak and trees.  
Some groves of Aleppo pine trees  
of peculiar shape (that have all  
their branches at the top and bear  
a cone which has an edible nut  
in it) are scattered over the  
mountains. Olive trees, fig  
trees (with the ripe sweet figs  
bursting open), plums, pears (not  
as good as American pears),  
apricots, oranges, lemons, apples,  
loquat (an evergreen tree of the  
apple family yielding fruit about  
the size of plums, has large  
smooth seeds and tastes some-  
what like an apple) and mul-  
berry trees (kept cut off so the

fresh young leaves can be gathered  
for silk worms) are grown. The  
vineyards also add to the beauty  
of the country. The large lus-  
cious bunches of grapes make us  
think of the spies, who when  
"They came unto the brook of  
Eshcol, cut down from thence a  
branch with one cluster of grapes  
and they bare it between two  
upon a staff, and they brought  
of the pomegranates and of the  
figs."

The gardens also help to make  
the country prosperous and beau-  
tiful. Beans, vegetable-marrow,  
lettuce, potatoes, watermelons,  
muskmelons, tomatoes, okra,  
cucumbers, egg plant, etc. are  
all grown, as well as some wheat  
and barley. The mountains are  
terraced, thus giving small level  
patches on which all these things  
are grown. Streams of water  
make irrigation possible. We are  
led to ask, "What will this  
country be like when the prophecy  
is fulfilled, Lebanon shall be  
turned into a fruitful field?"  
There are many barren places  
now that will then bring forth.

The cedar of the Lebanon that  
was once so plentiful is now only  
found in a very few places. "Le-  
banon is ashamed and hewn  
down." There are still several

groups of cedars to be found on  
the Cedar Mountain, at an alti-  
tude of over 6000 feet above sea  
level and inland some distance  
from the town of Tripoli. One  
of the smaller groups, protected  
by a wall, occupies the top of a  
hill and contains about 400 very  
old trees, the tallest, however does  
not exceed 80 feet in height. The  
oldest trees are seven in number  
and the largest has a circum-  
ference of 47 feet. An annual  
festival is celebrated here every  
August by peasants. Cedar  
trees formerly covered many  
summits that are now bare. No  
such trees grew in the land of  
Israel so Solomon caused cedars  
to be brought from Lebanon for  
the building of the temple. The  
great modern region of the cedar  
is the Cilician Taurus Mountains.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

On January 3, 1927, I will again  
take over and run my own livery  
and feed barn and I expect to see  
all my old customers back where  
they will find lots of good feed  
and water and bedding same as in  
the past and I will do my best to  
locate buyers for any good horses  
that are for sale between now and  
spring. Wm. Burrell, phone  
104 South Barn.

We will be pleased to re-  
deem your Fleischman  
Yeast Coupons.

## Some Real Bargains.

Toilet Soaps, 7 bars	25c
Cream Olive Soap, 12 bars	90c
Gold Dust	30c
D.B. Clean-up Soap	20c
Soap Powder	15c
Laundry Soap, 8 bars	25c

## GOLD SEAL FLOUR.

\$4.45 per cwt.

Real Saving in Linoleum and Congoleum.  
BIG REDUCTIONS.

**A. G. STUDER** PHONE  
101

## Why Pay More?

When you can get just as good  
for less than half the price.

Good Iron Beds from \$1.00 to	\$4.00
Four Wooden Springs from \$1.50 to	3.00
Steel Spring, one only	4.50
Four Kitchen Tables, \$2.00 to	4.00
Bed Lounge, extension	8.00
Kitchen Range, four-hole	10.00
Kitchen Range, six-hole	80.00
Repairing and Upholstering.	Expert Picture Framing

**W. H. CHAMBERLIN, Furniture Dealer**

Ask your local printer for an estimate on  
any job you may have during 1927. In  
fact, make it a resolution--and stay with it.

## North End Lumber Yard

PHONE 122

**Storm Sash**  
**At Bargain Prices.**

S. G. WATT, Manager DIDSBUY



## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Leipzig, Germany, has inaugurated most intensive tests known for prospective motor drivers.

School boys of England are being taken to New Zealand and instructed in farming under a plan of the Chamber of Commerce, of Tarnaki, N.Z.

Duelling with rapiers, a favorite pre-war pastime of German students fraternities, has been declared unlawful by the supreme court of Leipzig.

The British Admiralty has ordered the construction of a 10,000 ton cruiser. The cruiser, which is provided for in the current naval estimates, will be built in Glasgow.

Approximately one passenger out of 8,250,000 carried is killed on Canadian steam railways, according to returns to the railway department. One passenger out of each 111,000 is injured.

The Blue Star liner Arandora, 14,000 tons, fifth and last of a fleet of new vessels for a fast fortnightly service between London and South American ports, was launched recently.

Three eclipses of the sun, two eclipses of the moon and the transit of the planet Mercury over the sun's disc are all included in the program for 1927. It is stated by Professor A. J. Kelly, of the McGill Observatory, Montreal.

By an overwhelming vote the U.S. Senate refused to consider in open session the treaty of Lausanne, which would re-establish diplomatic and commercial relations with Turkey. The treaty is opposed by a number of Democrats.

Col. C. R. E. Willetts, commander of the Princess Patricia Regiment since 1920, with headquarters in Winnipeg, has been promoted to headquarters staff in Ottawa. Major M. R. T. Broecke will succeed Col. Willetts as commander.

Vodka drinking in Russia has become so great an evil that the commissariats of health, justice and the interior are jointly drawing up severe measures to repress it. They propose to forcibly seize chronic alcoholics whenever they are found intoxicated and to subject them to a drastic sobering treatment in hospitals.

Every careful and observant mother knows when her child suffers from worms. She also knows that if some remedy be not speedily applied much harm will result to the infant. An excellent preparation for this purpose is Miller's Worm Powders. They drive worms from the system and set up stimulating and soothing effects, so that the child's progress thereafter is painless and satisfying.

**Canadian Legation in Washington**  
It is expected that the Canadian Legation will open in Washington, D.C., sometime in February. Hon. Vincent Massey, who has been appointed to represent Canada in the American capital, is completing the arrangements in connection with the opening of the legation.

**For Colds—Minard's Liniment.**

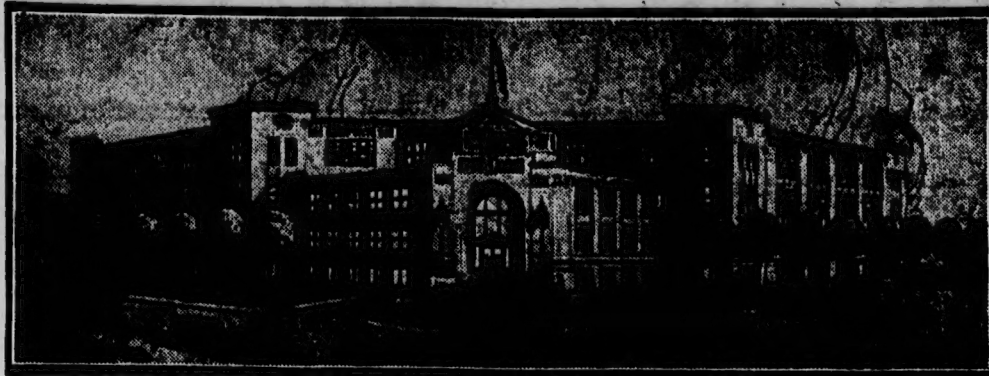
**Russian Girls Have Vocation**  
It is a characteristic of modern Russia that every woman and girl seems to devote herself to some vocation or other, and may enlist as a soldier if she desires, said Paula Steiner, woman journalist, lecturing in the women's Lyceum Club, Berlin, on her repeated visits to Russia.

## Could Not Sleep Heart and Nerves Were So Bad

Mr. Geo. Meek, Windsor, Ont., writes: "I suffered with my heart and nerves and could not sleep at night for months in my head. I managed to keep at my work somehow, until I began to have dizzy spells which got so bad I could not go to my work. I was afraid to go out any place, for very often I would stagger on my feet, and everything in front of me would turn black and fade away. While I was home sick a friend told me to take I got four boxes and by the time I had used them the pains and noises in my head ceased and I was able to get a good night's rest. Although that was six years ago I have never been troubled with that complaint again."

Price 50c. a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto Ont.

W. N. U. 1663



MAGNIFICENT PLANT FOR CROSSE & BLACKWELL

About 1,200 people will be employed in the new Canadian Plant of Crosse and Blackwell, Limited, internationally known British firm and producers of pure food products. The above drawing shows the

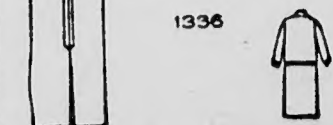
\$1,000,000 building to be erected at Toronto. Here will be produced a complete assortment of jams, preserves, pickles, sauces, potted meats, and the quality of all Crosse and Blackwell products manufactured here will be maintained to the same unexcelled standard of perfection which has prevailed for more than two centuries. Meanwhile, C. & B. products imported direct from England are available at all the grocers who carry high class goods.

## Woman Heads Organ Business

English Manufacturing Firm Has Been Family Concern Since 1750

Old fashioned long skirts interfered with Miss Jess Gray Davison learning to play an organ as a girl but this has not prevented Miss Davison from becoming the only woman managing firm in England. The business has been a family concern since 1750, and Miss Davison took charge on account of the illness of two brothers. Her grandmother considered it was "unlady-like" for Miss Davison to play the organ as a girl because "the long skirts worn in those days might get mixed up with the pedals."

No man or woman should hobble painfully about because of corns when so certain a relief is at hand as Holloway's Corn Remover.



The Very Important One-Piece Dress

Adhering to the straight-line silhouette, this model would be very trim for sports wear or business. The charming simplicity of its cut is emphasized by such adornments as a row of buttons down the closing from neck to waist, and patch pockets, while there are slight gathers at each shoulder. Long sleeves are gathered to narrow wristbands and the round collar is of the latest mode. No. 1336 is for misses in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 (36 bust) requires 3 1/2 yards 36-inch, or 2 1/2 yards 54-inch material. 20 cents.

Our Fashion Book, illustrating the newest and most practical styles, will be of interest to every home dress-maker. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

## How To Order Patterns

Address—Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg.

Pattern No. .... Size .....

.....

Name .....

Town .....

Sneezing?—Use Minard's Liniment.

## Labor Fights Communism

American Labor Leader Would Rid Ranks of Destructive Elements

Ridding its ranks of all ultra-radical destructive and revolutionary elements is the first task to which American organized labor has set itself for the new year.

In a statement, in which he views with satisfaction the achievements of labor in the past year and expresses optimism for 1927, Matthew Woll, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, declares that the fight against Communist elements in the labor ranks will continue.

"We have fought the fight of Democracy against Communism," he said, referring to activities of the year just closed, "we have turned upon it all the energy in our beings, fighting it as the would-be destroyer of our freedom and our homes. We count the results as satisfying and gratifying beyond words to express."

Woll declared that at no time before had the consuming power of the workers been as high as it was in America in the past year.

"We are, in the mass, comparatively well off," he said, "not because we make many things, but because our wage levels enable us to buy so many of the things we make, from clothes to pianos, automobiles and homes."

## Blondes Are Hardier

Blondes are not only preferred by gentlemen, but, according to the famous surgeon, Sir W. Arbuthnot Lane, they are much hardier. "Fair-headed persons have enormous advantage over dark-haired," he said. "They seem to be able to fight against disease very much better."

"Oh, papa, can you tell me if Noah had a wife?" "Certainly, Joan of Arc. Don't ask silly questions."—London Tit-Bits.

## Husband And Wife Are Both Benefitted

Mr. F. Spilay Speaks Highly of Dodd's Kidney Pills

Saskatchewan Man Who Suffered From Kidney Trouble Tells of the Relief He sought and Found.

Springside, Sask. (Special)  
"Both my wife and myself have suffered with strained kidneys, the pain being so bad at times that it was impossible for either of us to stoop and getting up was most difficult and painful. We used Dodd's Kidney Pills and found ready relief in them for this trouble."

This statement comes from Mr. T. M. Spilay, Box 2, Springside, Sask. Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely and simply a kidney remedy. They act directly on the kidneys, strengthening them and putting them in condition to do their full work of straining the impurities out of the blood.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have restored sound health to thousands of troubled men and women. Give them a trial at once.

The road to good health lies through the kidneys, so keep them in good condition with Dodd's Kidney Pills.

An exercise that is recommended for reducing a too exuberant waist line is placing both hands on the edge of the table and firmly pushing back.

## Stuffed Up?

Clear your head with Minard's. Warm the liniment and inhale.



## Statue Of Sir Wilfrid Laurier

Work is Nearing Completion in Paris, and Statue Will be Unveiled at Ottawa, July 1st.

The original of the statue of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, to be erected on parliament hill at Ottawa, has been completed by the Montreal sculptor, Brunet, now living in Paris, who was commissioned to undertake the work by the Canadian government a year ago. Casting of the statue proper will be commenced immediately.

It is understood that Premier Mackenzie King, while in Paris some weeks ago, made several suggestions to Brunet which have improved the work. Hon. L. A. Taschereau, premier of Quebec, and Philippe Roy, Canadian commissioner-general in Paris, have expressed their satisfaction with the artist's work.

The unveiling of the statue has been arranged for July 1, in connection with the celebration. It has been suggested that at the same time Premier King might plant two poplar trees behind the statue to soften the prospect in front of the buildings.

Senator Joseph M. Wilson, of Montreal, has intimated that he will present a replica of the bust of the statue to Laurier House, Ottawa.

## NOTHING TO EQUAL BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. Georges Lefebvre, St. Zenon, Que., writes: "I do not think there is any other medicine to equal Baby's Own Tablets for little ones. I have used them for my baby and would use nothing else." What Mrs. Lefebvre says thousands of other mothers say. They have found by trial that the Tablets always do just what is claimed for them. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus banish indigestion, constipation, colds, colic, etc. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 16

## THE CHRISTIAN'S USE OF THE BIBLE

Golden Text: Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and light unto my path. —Psalm 119:105.

Lesson: Deuteronomy 6:4-9; 2 Timothy 3:14-17.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 119:105.

## Explanations and Comments

1. God's Unity and Uniqueness, Deut. 6:4.—This passage, verses 4-9, the Jews called Shema, from the first word of verse four in Hebrew, translated Hear. The Shema is still recited, together with Deut. 11:13-21, and Num. 15:37-41, as the first act of worship in the Jewish synagogue, and twice a day by every adult male Jew.

Hear, O Israel, Jehovah our God is one Jehovah. This signifies not only the unity but the uniqueness of God. "In the Hebrew manuscripts the last letters of the word 'Hear' and 'one' are written large and spell 'ed,' the Hebrew word for 'witness,' because it was believed that this was a sort of brief creed, in which witness was borne to God and he was challenged to bear witness to the loyal believer." "Where the passage occurs in the Sabbath readings in the Jewish synagogue, the whole congregation repeat the last word, Achad (Jehovah), for several minutes together with the loudest vociferations." — (Adam Clarke).

"The sense of God's reality is a different experience from belief that God exists. All men believe that natural beauty exists, but some men feel it vividly, rejoice in it heartily, while others are never moved by it at all. A shadowy sense of God's reality is one great danger. We do not disbelieve that God exists, but we often lack a penetrating and convincing consciousness that we are dealing with him and He with us. This is the inner problem of prayer." — (H. E. Fosdick.)

## British Empire's Shop Window

New Features of the British Industries Fair 1927

It is a striking fact that the British Industries Fair, which is to be held in London and Birmingham from February 21st to March 4th next, will, despite recent industrial trouble and depression in Great Britain, greatly exceed in size and importance the Fair of last spring. No doubt the consciousness that it would be necessary when the coal stoppage ended to make up for lost time by establishing new trade contracts carried some weight. It has also to be remembered that exhibitors at the last Fair were highly satisfied with the business results achieved, and have realized that the number of buyers from abroad visiting the fair with the intention of doing serious business increases every year.

All the exhibiting space for the forthcoming fair, was booked three months before the opening date even though additional space has been provided in London and Birmingham. There has been nothing like it since the "boom" year of 1920, and the coming fair exceeds even that of 1920 from the buyer's point of view, because it is a buyer's market now and those who exhibit know that it is useless to do so unless they have something really worth while showing, something which will attract or create a demand and not be bought merely because it is available.

A new feature this year is the exhibit of Empire foodstuffs by the Empire Marketing Board. Realizing the wide appeal of the British Industries Fair to home and overseas buyers, the Board took 10,000 square feet, and here, in addition to exhibits by the Dominion, there will be foodstuffs from British Guiana, the Gold Coast, Rhodesia and the East African Colonies.

Apart from this stand, which is for foodstuffs only, there will be a section of Canadian manufacturers, and the East African Colonies have taken space. Still more Empire exhibits are to be found in the various trade sections.

## Says Men Make Best Cooks

More Interested in Things to 'Eat' According to British Novelist

Men are more interested in food and therefore make the best cooks, declared Norman Venner, novelist, in the London Scepticist, official organ of the Scepticist Club. "No woman should ever be a cook, as men manage much better, being more interested in things to eat," says Mr. Venner, who contends that no woman should ever be captain of a ship as the sea is too masculine an element.

No woman, he goes on, should ever be in charge of an automatic road drill, or a steam crane, or a battery of howitzers; no woman should ever be a soldier sailor, tinker, tramp, professional wrestler, diver or boiler-maker. But apart from these the world of human effort is open to the woman worker. "And I for one," says the author, "only hope they will get on with it in large number."

The writer takes a fling at the men in his article in the feminist magazine, especially the politicians and labor leaders here, who, he claims, in connection with the coal industry tie-up "have made a mess of things."

## RED RASH ON FACE AND NECK

Formed Eruptions. Suffered Much at Night. Cuticura Heals.

"I was troubled with a rash that broke out on my face and neck. It was very red, and the irritation caused me to scratch it in my sleep. After scratching, little, sore eruptions formed. I suffered much at night, and my sleep was broken."

"It looked hopeless until I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After a few days the eruptions started to heal, and after using five cakes of Soap and five or six boxes of Ointment I was healed." (Signed) G. Hardng, 3233 Florian St., Montreal, Q.C.

Daily use of Cuticura Soap, with touches of Cuticura Ointment now and then, keeps the skin fresh, smooth and clear. Cuticura Talcum also is ideal for the skin.

Sample Book Free by Mail. Address Canadian Agents: "Cuticura Ltd., Montreal." Price, Soap 10¢, Ointment 25¢ and 50¢, Talcum 10¢. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25¢.





### Treat Colds Externally

For sore throat, bronchitis or deep chest colds, rub Vicks Vaporub briskly over throat and chest and cover with warm flannel.

Vicks acts in two ways—both direct: absorbed like a liniment and inhaled as a vapor. A quick relief for the cold troubles of all the family.

**VICKS**  
VAPORUB  
OVER 21 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

Strange, Romantic Love Adventures of the Flapper you know

# Joanna

by H. L. GATES

Copyright 1925 by H. L. GATES

Published by arrangement with First National Pictures, Inc.

### CHAPTER XXIV—Continued

"I'm afraid I can't tell you much more than people generally know," she replied. "It came about after I left America with Yvonne. I ran away, you know, because no one I knew there had any confidence in me."

Prince Michael detected a seriousness as of some repressed plaint, and thought it needed observance. He sought her hand, and would have put his over it, oblivious to the others at the table. Joanna brought her hand away. Quietly, she went on:

Before then we had been quite good friends. I remember he had some plan for a memorial, something he wanted some day to build. I was never interested, much, because it wasn't anything I could understand, or wanted to. I remember, though, he objected to its being called a 'war' memorial. It was to be something commemorating soldiers themselves. All kind of soldiers, I think—not only our own, but of other countries as well. Somehow he's made it known about, I suppose. Now when you have a mind to talk to him about it, you will know almost as much as I do."

"Morbid idea, though," the prince observed. "I can't imagine anything I'd run away from quicker than a reminder of that sort. Sentimental though, I suppose they'll always be doing things of the kind."

"The striking feature of his conception," Yvonne remarked, "seems

Mrs. J. B. Hiltz



—Mickethwaite

Toronto, Ont.—"I found Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription very beneficial. During my third expectant period I was nauseated, my nerves went to pieces and I grew so weak and miserable that I could not do anything. I finally began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and from that on I got along fine. My nerves quieted down, I grew stronger and had a very healthy baby. She always has been exceedingly well. Favorite Prescription is the greatest help in motherhood of any medicine a woman can take."—Mrs. J. B. Hiltz, 53 Sydenham St.

Go to your neighborhood drug store at once and obtain this Prescription in tablets or liquid, or send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont., for trial package of tablets.

W. N. U. 1663

### Greet Boy Scouts

Governor-General Issues New Year's Greetings to Scouts of Canada

His excellency the Governor-General, as chief Scout for Canada, issued the following New Year's greeting to the Boy Scouts of the Dominion:—

"I consider it a great pride and pleasure at this season, as chief Scout of Canada, to send warm greetings to all Boy Scouts from the most senior commissioner to the youngest Wolf Cub. I trust and pray that the year 1927 will bring you all health, happiness and prosperity and give you opportunities of many acts of brotherhood and service for the honor of your Motherland."

"I hope to have many opportunities of meeting and greeting you all during the coming year."

One nice thing about living in the suburbs is when you miss the last train out and have to stay in town.



She had observed that Kenilworth, while he gave his part to the discussion, was uneasy. He had studied Joanna's face constantly, and watched every changing light in her eyes and line about her lips. She proposed a turn about the Casino rooms. "We shall have time for an hour of play in trent et quarante hall." Prince Michael appropriated her at once, much to Joanna's satisfaction, and led the way along the avenue of poplars through the Casino gardens to the white terrace.

Kenilworth, lagging behind with Joanna, went directly to the subject that concerned him deeply. "You are not going to let his turning up interfere with things, are you?" he asked.

"So far as I can remember," she returned, "he has never interfered much, with me. Used to want to, of course, but couldn't then. I could hardly fancy him being much of an influence now."

"Have you, then, completely wiped him out? As you seemed to imply that night when you invited me to join you in a kiss?"

She laughed. "That was so many ages ago, Roddy! I'd lost track of that one."

"That is evading the question," he rebuked her.

"John wouldn't have me then," she said simply, "when I thought he was the one thing in all the world I wanted to buy with my money. I doubt if he'd want me at all now. He's famous, you see, and well on the road to prosperity. He won't need to take chances. I'm not as good a bet for him now as I was then. Am I, Roddy?" She was daring him with her smile. There was no wistfulness in it at all, just frank, open provocation.

"Do you know," he exclaimed, irritably, "you are the most unfathomable creature within my experience?"

She was silent until they came up to the terrace steps. She answered him then as if there had been no lapse of time. "No, I'm not. I was thoroughly fathomed this morning. A man told me he wanted me however and whatever I am. If I could say just what I'd like to say about that, I'd say that would be a damn, safe bargain for a man to make with any girl. But I can't say that, of course, for I must be a hypocrite and let on that I never swear."

### CHAPTER XXV.

When Joanna Gambles

Kenilworth would have guided his companion around the big Casino building to the pigeon field which lies between it and the sea, but Joanna preferred, to go onto the white terrace and into the gambling rooms.

In Roddy's manner there was every sign of the truth of Yvonne's observation in the Trianon summer house at Amette; that he was worried by the reappearance of John in the girl's scheme of things. Secretly she was disturbed by him. During the months in New York, before her departure for London and France, he had been a supercilious admirer, graceful in his devotions, impressing her as a man of the world who had decided to affect enthusiasm over a new joy. Then, suddenly, his attitude and his purpose had altered.

He had deliberately followed her and Yvonne to London. It was then that circle of men and women which revolved about men of his kind, young men who are old enough to be discreet and rich enough to be idle, began to take stock of the seriousness of Roddy Kenilworth in his pursuit of the young American millionaire, Joanna Manners. There was a great deal of boudoir grief over this state of affairs, for Kenilworth was known as one who went from one affair to another at slight provocation, but always magnificently—generously. It was felt that if he were definitely lost to his world of sub rosa romance it would be disastrous.

It was generally wished that the young American, whose fresh youth had proved an irresistible charm

### Tickling Throat

Always annoying, especially when it affects you at night. You can stop it quickly by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Now sold at 25c and 60 cents

where charm is translated in terms of flesh, would succumb to the inevitable—or, to Roddy's determinations—and in the usual course, free him for his next feminine engagement. "For," said one young woman to her dancing partner at the fashionable Embassy Club, "Roddy looks as though he were going to be serious, this time; he hasn't had a serious affair since the early days of Yvonne Coutant. He won't be a free agent until he gets over this attack, and the American is delaying matters."

Joanna liked Roddy Kenilworth. She had heard, as people do hear, that Yvonne had been of his making. How much to believe and what to discount she didn't know, nor care. She gloried in her ability, she who had come out from behind silk counter, to bring the green tints into his eyes whenever she was of the whim to make him take note of her. She knew Roddy was in a continual fight with himself over her. Dornilster was always her slave. Brandon served her whenever she asked, but he remained aloof; she couldn't sway him—or, rather, she wouldn't dare. But Roddy made an occasional effort to baffle the spell of her, and to thwart him was like quaffing champagne.

(To Be Continued)

### Little Helps For This Week

Truly the light is sweet, and a pleasant thing it is for the eyes to behold the sun.—Ecc. xi. 7.

Serene will be our days and bright, And happy will our natures be, When love is an unending light.

—William Wordsworth

Love is sunshine.

—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

God wishes us to have the light of love in our homes. He would have in them a tender play of laughter and humor, a pleasant interchange of light and color warmth, in word and mirth, which makes the brightness perfect, and is as much the work of the sunshine in the house as the delightful gaiety of nature is the doing of the sun.

—Stofoord A. Brooke.

### Fortune From Christmas Cards

Million and Half Left by Late Sir Adolph Tuck

Recently there was made public the will disposing of the \$1,600,000 Christmas card fortune of Sir Adolph Tuck, late chairman of Raphael Tuck, Ltd., by far the greatest Christmas card firm in the world. Perhaps in revulsion from the religious festival on which his fortune was built, Sir Adolph provided that any of his children who marries a Christian or outside of the Jewish faith shall be disinherited. All public bequests are made to Jewish institutions.

**Excellent for Croupy Children.**—When a child is suffering with croup it is a good plan to use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It reduces the inflammation and loosens the phlegm giving speedy relief to the little sufferer. It is equally reliable for sore throat and chest, earache, rheumatic pains, cuts, bruises and sprains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is regarded by many thousands as an indispensable of the family medicine chest.

### Wheat Pool Membership

The membership of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool has reached a total of 80,245 representing 10,642,182 acres of wheat signed up. The membership of the Coarse Grains Pool was at a recent compilation 37,306, covering the following acreage: oats, 1,800,766; barley, 379,437; flax, 378,230; and rye 113,569.

**Drives Asthma Before It.** The smoke or vapor from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy gives asthma no chance to linger. It eradicates the cause. Our experience with the relief-giving remedy shows how actual and positive is the succor it gives. It is the result of long study and experiment and was not submitted to the public until its makers knew it would do its work well.

"I suppose you will want me to give up my job, Henry, when we are married?"  
"How much do you earn in it?"  
"Sixty a week."  
"That isn't a job. That's a career. I wouldn't want to interfere with your career."

The weather now is just the same as when grandfather was a boy, an expert declares. If that is so a lot of grandpops are terrible liars.

Minard's Liniment,—ever reliable.



### Business Failures In Britain

Millinery and Dressmaking Headed List for Women, and Farming for Men

Women who failed in business last year are honored with a separate section in the annual bankruptcy returns.

They number 444, millinery and dressmaking, with 47, had the greatest number of women failures. Of the rest 37 were drapers, 33 grocers, 21 clothiers and outfitters, and 29 lodging house keepers. One woman doctor, four schoolmistresses and one woman engaged in horse-dealing and training were also adjudged bankrupt.

Farmers head the list of men with 368 bankruptcies. Grocers come next with 362, and builders third with 335. Pawnbrokers and shipowners tie for bottom place with only four apiece.

### EFFICIENCY IMPAIRED

Why Many Men and Women Are Badly Handicapped

When you are so run down in health that it impairs the efficiency of your work as well as your power to enjoy your leisure hours, or obtain rest, it is time you looked to the cause. If you do not, a serious breakdown is almost sure to result sooner or later. In nearly all cases this condition, which doctors usually describe as general debility, is due to poor blood—blood that is deficient in red corpuscles. When the blood is thin and weak your whole system suffers. You lose appetite, have no energy, your nerves trouble you and you feel restless.

What you need is help to build up your blood and you should begin at once to make your blood rich and red by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You will soon notice the difference in your health by a better appetite and increased vigor. The reason is that the new blood created by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills stimulates all the organs of the body to healthy activity, and so the system gains nourishment and strength. If you are weak or out of sorts begin gaining new strength today by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You can get these pills from your druggist or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Saskatchewan Creamery Butter

Creamery butter production in Saskatchewan from January 1st to October 31st, 1926, totalled 15,730,501 pounds, an increase of 1,234,418 pounds over the record for the corresponding period of 1925. Unfavorable weather in September and October caused a reduction in output in those months compared with the figures for the same months last year.

The automobile bill of the American people is over \$14,000,000,000 a year.

for Coughs and Colds

### A Pleasant Sip—Instant Relief

There is an effective way to pleasantly relieve that distressing Cough. Buckley's Mixture is delightful and "friendly." Yet it acts like a flash in clearing the throat and chest. One dose stops coughing—and there are 40 doses in a 75-cent bottle! All druggists sell it under a money-back guarantee.

W. K. Buckley, Limited,  
142 Mutual St., Toronto 2

**BUCKLEY'S**  
MIXTURE  
Acts like a flash—  
a single sip proves it.

**BAKERS' OVENS**—Write for catalogues and list of used ovens. Hubbard Oven Company, 1100 Queen West, Toronto, Ont.

Give the children

# SHILOH

FOR COUGHS

**THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.**  
**THERAPION No. 1**  
**THERAPION No. 2**  
**THERAPION No. 3**

No. 1 for Croup, Whooping Cough, Hoarseness, etc. No. 2 for Croup, Whooping Cough, Hoarseness, etc. No. 3 for Croup, Whooping Cough, Hoarseness, etc.

Sole Importers: The Canadian Dispensary, Ltd., 1100 Queen West, Toronto, Ont.



WORLD HAPPENINGS  
BRIEFLY TOLD

Leipzig, Germany, has inaugurated most intensive tests known for prospective motor drivers.

School boys of England are being taken to New Zealand and instructed in farming under a plan of the Chamber of Commerce, of Tarnaki, N.Z.

Duelling with rapiers, a favorite pre-war pastime of German students fraternities, has been declared unlawful by the supreme court of Leipzig.

The British Admiralty has ordered the construction of a 10,000 ton cruiser. The cruiser, which is provided for in the current naval estimates, will be built in Glasgow.

Approximately one passenger out of 8,250,000 carried is killed on Canadian steam railways, according to returns to the railway department. One passenger out of each 111,000 is injured.

The Blue Star liner Arandora, 14,000 tons, fifth and last of a fleet of new vessels for a fast fortnightly service between London and South American ports, was launched recently.

Three eclipses of the sun, two eclipses of the moon and the transit of the planet Mercury over the sun's disc are all included in the program for 1927, it is stated by Professor A. J. Kelly, of the McGill Observatory, Montreal.

By an overwhelming vote the U.S. Senate refused to consider in open session the treaty of Lausanne, which would re-establish diplomatic and commercial relations with Turkey. The treaty is opposed by a number of Democrats.

Col. C. R. E. Willetts, commander of the Princess Patricia Regiment since 1920, with headquarters in Winnipeg, has been promoted to headquarters staff in Ottawa. Major M. R. T. Broecke will succeed Col. Willetts as commander.

Vodka drinking in Russia has become so great an evil that the commissariats of health, justice and the interior are jointly drawing up severe measures to repress it. They propose to forcibly seize chronic alcoholics whenever they are found intoxicated and to subject them to a drastic sobering treatment in hospitals.

Every careful and observant mother knows when her child suffers from worms. She also knows that if some remedy be not speedily applied much harm will result to the infant. An excellent preparation for this purpose is Miller's Worm Powders. They drive worms from the system and set up stimulating and soothing effects, so that the child's progress thereafter is painless and satisfying.

Canadian Legation in Washington  
It is expected that the Canadian Legation will open in Washington, D.C., sometime in February. Hon. Vincent Massey, who has been appointed to represent Canada in the American capital, is completing the arrangements in connection with the opening of the legation.

For Colds—Minard's Liniment.

Russian Girls Have Vocation  
It is a characteristic of modern Russia that every woman and girl seems to devote herself to some vocation or other, and may enlist as a soldier if she desires, said Paula Steiner, woman journalist, lecturing in the women's Lyceum Club, Berlin, on her repeated visits to Russia.

Could Not Sleep  
Heart and Nerves  
Were So Bad

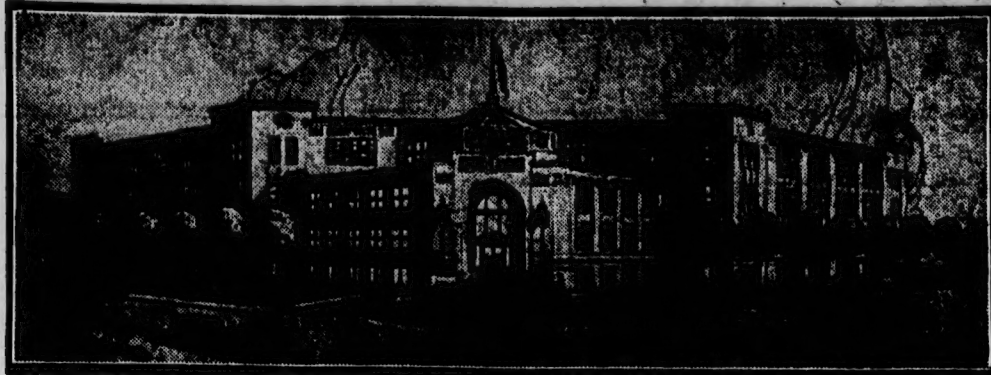
Mr. Geo. Meek, Windsor, Ont., writes:—"I suffered with my heart and nerves and could not sleep at night for months in my head. I managed to keep at my work somehow, until I began to have dizzy spells which got so bad I could not go to my work. I was afraid to go out any place, for very often I would stagger on my feet, and everything in front of me would turn black and fade away. While I was home sick a friend told me to take



I got four boxes and by the time I had used them the pains and noises in my head ceased and I was able to get a good night's rest. Although that was six years ago I have never been troubled with that complaint again."

Price 50c. a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto Ont.

W. N. U. 1663



MAGNIFICENT PLANT FOR CROSSE &amp; BLACKWELL

About 1,200 people will be employed in the new Canadian Plant of Crosse and Blackwell, Limited, internationally known British firm and producers of pure food products. The above drawing shows the

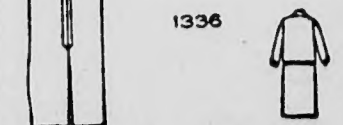
\$1,000,000 building to be erected at Toronto. Here will be produced a complete assortment of jams, preserves, pickles, sauces, potted meats, and the quality of all Crosse and Blackwell products manufactured here will be maintained to the same unexcelled standard of perfection which has prevailed for more than two centuries. Meanwhile, C. & B. products imported direct from England are available at all the grocers who carry high class goods.

## Woman Heads Organ Business

English Manufacturing Firm Has Been Family Concern Since 1750

Old fashioned long skirts interfered with Miss Jess Gray Davison learning to play an organ as a girl but this has not prevented Miss Davison from becoming the only woman managing firm in England. The business has been a family concern since 1750, and Miss Davison took charge on account of the illness of two brothers. Her grandmother considered it was "unlady-like" for Miss Davison to play the organ as a girl because "the long skirts worn in those days might get mixed up with the pedals."

No man or woman should hobble painfully about because of corns when so certain a relief is at hand as Holloway's Corn Remover.



The Very Important One-Piece Dress

Adhering to the straight-line silhouette, this model would be very trim for sports wear or business. The charming simplicity of its cut is emphasized by such adornments as a row of buttons down the closing from neck to waist, and patch pockets, while there are slight gathers at each shoulder. Long sleeves are gathered to narrow wristbands and the round collar is of the latest mode. No. 1336 is for misses in sizes 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 (36 bust) requires 3 1/2 yards 36-inch, or 2 3/4 yards 54-inch material. 20 cents.

Our Fashion Book, illustrating the newest and most practical styles, will be of interest to every home dress-maker. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

## How To Order Patterns

Address—Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg.

Pattern No. .... Size .....

.....

Name .....

Town .....

Sneezing?—Use Minard's Liniment.

## Labor Fights Communism

American Labor Leader Would Rid Ranks of Destructive Elements

Ridding its ranks of all ultra-radical destructive and revolutionary elements is the first task to which American organized labor has set itself for the new year.

In a statement, in which he views with satisfaction the achievements of labor in the past year and expresses optimism for 1927, Matthew Woll, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, declares that the fight against Communist elements in the labor ranks will continue.

"We have fought the fight of Democracy against Communism," he said, referring to activities of the year just closed, "we have turned upon it all the energy in our beings, fighting it as the would-be destroyer of our freedom and our homes. We count the results as satisfying and gratifying beyond words to express."

Woll declared that at no time before had the consuming power of the workers been as high as it was in America in the past year.

"We are, in the mass, comparatively well off," he said, "not because we make many things, but because our wage levels enable us to buy so many of the things we make, from clothes to pianos, automobiles and homes."

## Blondes Are Hardier

Blondes are not only preferred by gentlemen, but, according to the famous surgeon, Sir W. Arbuthnot Lane, they are much hardier. "Fair-headed persons have enormous advantage over dark-haired," he said. "They seem to be able to fight against disease very much better."

"Oh, papa, can you tell me if Noah had a wife?" "Certainly, Joan of Arc. Don't ask silly questions."—London Tit-Bits.

Husband And Wife  
Are Both Benefitted

Mr. F. Spilay Speaks Highly of Dodd's Kidney Pills

Saskatchewan Man Who Suffered From Kidney Trouble Tells of the Relief He sought and Found.

Springdale, Sask. (Special)  
"Both my wife and myself have suffered with strained kidneys, the pain being so bad at times that it was impossible for either of us to stoop and getting up was most difficult and painful. We used Dodd's Kidney Pills and found ready relief in them for this trouble."

This statement comes from Mr. T. M. Spilay, Box 2, Springdale, Sask. Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely and simply a kidney remedy. They act directly on the kidneys, strengthening them and putting them in condition to do their full work of straining the impurities out of the blood.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have restored sound health to thousands of troubled men and women. Give them a trial at once.

The road to good health lies through the kidneys, so keep them in good condition with Dodd's Kidney Pills.

An exercise that is recommended for reducing a too exuberant waist line is placing both hands on the edge of the table and firmly pushing back.

## Stuffed Up?

Clear your head with Minard's. Warm the liniment and inhale.



## Statue Of Sir Wilfrid Laurier

Work is Nearing Completion in Paris, and Statue Will be Unveiled at Ottawa, July 1st.

The original of the statue of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, to be erected on parliament hill at Ottawa, has been completed by the Montreal sculptor, Brunet, now living in Paris, who was commissioned to undertake the work by the Canadian government a year ago. Casting of the statue proper will be commenced immediately.

It is understood that Premier Mackenzie King, while in Paris some weeks ago, made several suggestions to Brunet which have improved the work. Hon. L. A. Taschereau, premier of Quebec, and Philippe Roy, Canadian commissioner-general in Paris, have expressed their satisfaction with the artist's work.

The unveiling of the statue has been arranged for July 1, in connection with the celebration. It has been suggested that at the same time Premier King might plant two poplar trees behind the statue to soften the prospect in front of the buildings.

Senator Joseph M. Wilson, of Montreal, has intimated that he will present a replica of the bust of the statue to Laurier House, Ottawa.

NOTHING TO EQUAL  
BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. Georges Lefebvre, St. Zenon, Que., writes: "I do not think there is any other medicine to equal Baby's Own Tablets for little ones. I have used them for my baby and would use nothing else." What Mrs. Lefebvre says thousands of other mothers say. They have found by trial that the Tablets always do just what is claimed for them. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus banish indigestion, constipation, colds, colic, etc. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 16

THE CHRISTIAN'S USE OF THE BIBLE

Golden Text: Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and light unto my path. —Psalm 119:105.

Lesson: Deuteronomy 6:4-9; 2 Timothy 3:14-17.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 119:105.

## Explanations and Comments

1. God's Unity and Uniqueness, Deut. 6:4.—This passage, verses 4-9, the Jews called Shema, from the first word of verse four in Hebrew, translated Hear. The Shema is still recited, together with Deut. 11:13-21, and Num. 15:37-41, as the first act of worship in the Jewish synagogue, and twice a day by every adult male Jew.

Hear, O Israel, Jehovah our God is one Jehovah. This signifies not only the unity but the uniqueness of God. "In the Hebrew manuscripts the last letters of the word 'Hear' and 'one' are written large and spell 'ed,' the Hebrew word for 'witness,' because it was believed that this was a sort of brief creed, in which witness was borne to God and he was challenged to bear witness to the loyal believer." "Where the passage occurs in the Sabbath readings in the Jewish synagogue, the whole congregation repeat the last word, Achad (Jehovah), for several minutes together with the loudest vociferations." — (Adam Clarke).

"The sense of God's reality is a different experience from belief that God exists. All men believe that natural beauty exists, but some men feel it vividly, rejoice in it heartily, while others are never moved by it at all. A shadowy sense of God's reality is one great danger. We do not disbelieve that God exists, but we often lack a penetrating and convincing consciousness that we are dealing with him and He with us. This is the inner problem of prayer." — (H. E. Fosdick.)

British Empire's  
Shop Window

New Features of the British Industries Fair 1927

It is a striking fact that the British Industries Fair, which is to be held in London and Birmingham from February 21st to March 4th next, will, despite recent industrial trouble and depression in Great Britain, greatly exceed in size and importance the Fair of last spring. No doubt the consciousness that it would be necessary when the coal stoppage ended to make up for lost time by establishing new trade contracts carried some weight. It has also to be remembered that exhibitors at the last Fair were highly satisfied with the business results achieved, and have realized that the number of buyers from abroad visiting the fair with the intention of doing serious business increases every year.

All the exhibiting space for the forthcoming fair, was booked three months before the opening date even though additional space has been provided in London and Birmingham. There has been nothing like it since the "boom" year of 1920, and the coming fair exceeds even that of 1920 from the buyer's point of view, because it is a buyer's market now and those who exhibit know that it is useless to do so unless they have something really worth while showing, something which will attract or create a demand and not be bought merely because it is available.

A new feature this year is the exhibit of Empire foodstuffs by the Empire Marketing Board. Realizing the wide appeal of the British Industries Fair to home and overseas buyers, the Board took 10,000 square feet, and here, in addition to exhibits by the Dominion, there will be foodstuffs from British Guiana, the Gold Coast, Rhodesia and the East African Colonies.

Apart from this stand, which is for foodstuffs only, there will be a section of Canadian manufacturers, and the East African Colonies have taken space. Still more Empire exhibits are to be found in the various trade sections.

## Says Men Make Best Cooks

More Interested in Things to 'Eat' According to British Novelist

Men are more interested in food and therefore make the best cooks, declared Norman Venner, novelist, in the London Soroptimist, official organ of the Soroptimist Club. "No woman should ever be a cook, as men manage much better, being more interested in things to eat," says Mr. Venner, who contends that no woman should ever be captain of a ship as the sea is too masculine an element.

No woman, he goes on, should ever be in charge of an automatic road drill, or a steam crane, or a battery of howitzers; no woman should ever be a soldier sailor, tinker, tramp, professional wrestler, diver or boiler-maker. But apart from these the world of human effort is open to the woman worker. "And I for one," says the author, "only hope they will get on with it in large number."

The writer takes a fling at the men in his article in the feminist magazine, especially the politicians and labor leaders here, who, he claims, in connection with the coal industry tie-up "have made a mess of things."

RED RASH ON  
FACE AND NECK

Formed Eruptions, Suffered Much at Night. Cuticura Heals.

"I was troubled with a rash that broke out on my face and neck. It was very red, and the irritation caused me to scratch it in my sleep. After scratching, little, sore eruptions formed. I suffered much at night, and my sleep was broken."

"It looked hopeless until I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After a few days the eruptions started to heal, and after using five cakes of Soap and five or six boxes of Ointment I was healed." (Signed) G. Hardng, 2233 Florian St., Montreal, Que.

Daily use of Cuticura Soap, with touches of Cuticura Ointment now and then, keeps the skin fresh, smooth and clear. Cuticura Talcum also is ideal for the skin.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address Canadian Import: "Cuticura, Ltd., Montreal." Price, Soap 25c., Ointment 25c. and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.



## Local and General.

Jack Pearson has been visiting with friends in Calgary for the past few days.

Miss Florence Pratt left on Wednesday to visit friends in Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowyer left for the old country on Tuesday with the intention of remaining there permanently.

Two cars of seed oats arrived this week consigned to C. Gibbs and W. Davies.

Mrs. J. Fleury has been visiting with friends in Calgary this week.

The Ford Motor Co. announce a program of old fashioned dance music for to-morrow (January 18th) to be broadcasted from fifteen stations, from 8.30 to 9.30 mountain time. Connect up with Portland (WCSH), Vancouver (WOC), and St. Louis (KSD), if you want to hear something particularly good.

Birth—On Friday, January 7th, Mrs. Herman Dageford of a son.

Mrs. W. E. Measor of Big Prairie, gave birth to a son at the hospital on Wednesday.

Word has been received from Edmonton of the death there of Ole Emmerson, a former resident of Didsbury.

Miss V. Manhard left on Wednesday for Delia, Alberta.

A Victor Fleming production, "Variety," will be given at the

Opera House on Saturday. This is a Cosmopolitan story and a good one. On Wednesday, January 19th, will be shown W. C. Field in "So's your old man."

Don't forget the hospital will be benefited by the program to be given by the management of the Didsbury Opera House on January 26th. There will be an especially good picture and a large crowd is anticipated to support this deserving venture. Keep it in mind.

A three-act comedy, entitled "Daddy" is to be presented at the Didsbury Opera House on Friday, January 21st. It is under the auspices of the Adkins Ladies' Aid, and the proceeds will be devoted to the Cremona Manse fund. This comedy has already been given at several points in the district surrounding, and judging from the opinion expressed the residents of Didsbury may expect something a little beyond the ordinary. Remember the date, Friday of next week. Let's go.

To-morrow night (Friday) you are invited to attend at the skating rink, when a program will be given of broom ball, basket ball and hockey. The fun will be fast and furious and some good play is anticipated. Olds will face Didsbury in the hockey game.

After the completion of the program at the skating rink, the I.O.D.E. have arranged a dance at the Opera House, the proceeds of which will be divided equally between the Rinks Ltd. and the Hockey Club. Admission is 50c, refreshments included.

Following information given to the police regarding the articles belonging to the local hockey team, which were stolen a week ago from the residence of Lloyd Liesemer, the boys have been gratified to have these returned from Calgary where they were discovered at divers second hand shops.

A. B. Claypool, member for Didsbury riding in the provincial legislature, is mentioned as a possibility for the speakership to succeed former speaker O. L. McPherson, who has been elevated to the cabinet.

The January meeting of the Board of Directors of the Wheat Pool will be held in Edmonton during the annual convention of the U.F.A., January 18th to 21st, 1937.

### WESTCOTT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. H. Steckley entertained a number of young folks at a dance at their home on Wednesday, January 5th. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by everyone. Mrs. Steckley served a very dainty lunch after which they again tripped the light fantastic toe to the wee sma' hours.

Last Saturday about forty-five young and old skaters and "chaperones" gathered on the Dog Pond and spent a very enjoyable time skating; the ice was in splendid shape. After the skating weiners were roasted over a smoking fire and devoured as if they were really relished.

The next club meeting will be held before this paper is in the hands of the subscribers, on January 14th. On January 28th, the club will hold a Box Social to raise the balance for the piapp. A splendid program is being prepared. The debate topic is: "Resolved that Reading is a more important factor in Education than Observation."

Miss Edith Murphy spent the week-end in Calgary attending the Baptist Girls' Convention.

A shower of miscellaneous articles was given Mr. & Mrs. E. Klinck on Friday evening last. The evening was spent very enjoyably playing games. We all wish Mr. & Mrs. Klinck much happiness.

The young people of the district met at the home of Mrs. Murphy on New Year's eve and formed a Young People's Religious Society. The first meeting was held in the Baptist Church on Friday, Jan. 7th. The next will be on Jan. 21st. Everybody welcome.

"Scotty" at last has gotten ahead of the goat. He has been able to rubber on the local telephone line without a phone in his house. He just installed a "Radio."

If anyone wants to win a game of hockey, just challenge "Clovermount."

### Mountain View.

The annual meeting of the Mountain View community hall was held on December 29th, 1936. The meeting opened by singing "O Canada." Mr. S. Tighe was re-elected by acclamation. The hall now being entirely out of debt the business was turned over to the Mountain View W.I. Their objective for the coming year is to paint the hall and improve the grounds. After the business a pleasant time was had by those present in card games and community singing.

Mountain View W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. L. B. Fulkerth on Thursday, January 20th. A dance will be held in Mountain View Community hall on Friday, January 21st. Carstairs music.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ward have

## Premier Meat Market.

Phone 131

Phone 131

### SPECIALS

See our window on Saturday for week-end specials.

ALL FOR

**\$1.50**

A 5lb Pail of Lard for \$1.00 if purchased with this Meat Special.

**CHAS. WRIGHTSON**

STEVENS' BLOCK

DIDSBURY

PHONE 131

5lb. Roast of Beef  
8lb. Roast of Veal  
8lb. Boil of Beef  
2lb. Round Steak or  
2lb. Sausage

arrived from Washington on a visit to relatives and friends.

Several friends spent a very enjoyable afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Barnes on Sunday January, 9th.

### Order Your Fuel Now.

With the advent of cold weather there has arisen this year more than the usual number of stories of the shortage of fuel on the prairies. This is due to several causes; they can be enumerated in order. Probably the first is due to the severity with which extreme weather settled down all at once, and without warning; contributing to the general discomfort is the fact that many dealers had not placed sufficient orders in advance to meet the sudden onslaught of buyers and added to this customers had neglected to notify their dealers of their wants so that orders might be placed accordingly.

Taking the history of winters on the Canadian Prairies for the

past number of years it may almost be stated with certainty that the present season will be up to standard of the old time ones and while authorities on the weather all agree that much of the so called prophetic visions of hard winters are guess work the fact remains that right now railway transportation is a problem for the managements on account of snow and cold weather and are asking coal dealers and consumers as well to take these facts into consideration and place orders for coal as far in advance as it is possible to do so. The whole community will be served by doing this.

### Ratepayers' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of Didsbury, as specified in the Town Act, will take place on the last Friday in this month, January 28th. Nominations will be on Monday, February 14th. Those retiring from office, by reason of the expiration of their term, are Mayor Chambers, Councillors Reiber, Edwards and Guy remain for another year.

It should also be remembered that the annual meeting of the Didsbury School Trustees takes place the same evening as that of the town. The retiring trustees this year are Dr. Evans, W. G. Liesemer and J. A. McGhee. Trustees Russell and Durrer stay in for another year.

### Hockey

Two games have been played so far by the Didsbury hockey team in the League schedule, both of which they won.

Friday of last week Innisfail was their opponent and the game ended 2-3 in favor of the local team. In the third period the visitors had a disagreement with the referee and failing to get satisfaction walked off the ice.

Didsbury's line-up—Climens (goal), Studer and Reiber (defence), H. Liesemer, C. Cook, A. Evans, Geo. Shade and L. Liesemer (forwards).

On Tuesday night the local boys journeyed to Carstairs and in a fast and speedy game beat the home team with a score of 4-2. Doc Evans scored three goals and Doc Liesemer one.

### For Sale, Wanted, etc

#### TO RENT.

One vacuum cleaner, with all attachments. For further particulars phone 92.

#### FOR SALE

One red steer, 10 months old. Apply J. R. Cunningham, Phone 124.

#### ESTRAY

A white sow. Lost three weeks. Yorkshire, wgt. 350 lbs. H. Farrant.

#### For Sale.

A number of feeding steers. Brood sows on hand all the time. One Berkshire boar.—Kendrick & Gnod.

### ARCHIE BOYCE

AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION AGENT

FARM AND LIVE STOCK SALES ARE MY SPECIALTY.

REASONABLE TERMS PROMPT SETTLEMENTS

For Dates see —

ARCHIE BOYCE,

Phone 135 Carstairs

C. E. Reiber, phone 90

Didsbury

## Winter demands Good Clothing

*Our line in Sweaters is complete for Men, Women & Children.*

You will also find a big range in Overshoes, Mitts, Gloves, Underwear, etc.

## Dresses & Waists

**J. E. HUGET**

Complete Outfitter for Men, Women and Children  
**Phone 55 Didsbury**



H. W. Chambers Druggist



## A FARMER'S COMPANY ELEVATOR

AT YOUR STATION  
HAS BROUGHT YOU BETTER SERVICE  
IN HANDLING YOUR GRAIN.

Do Your Business  
with

# UNITED GRAIN GROWERS LTD

## ST. CYPRIAN'S

(Church of England)  
Preist-in-charge, Rev. H. Clay,  
box 187, Olds.  
First Sunday in month—After-  
noon at 3.00 p.m.  
Third Sunday in month—Morn-  
ing at 11 a.m.  
School is held every Sunday.

## W. A. AUSTIN

BARRISTER SOLICITOR  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Phone 52  
Didsbury - - - Alberta

J. L. CLARK, M. D., M. C. C.  
Physician & Surgeon  
Graduate of Manitoba Univer

Late senior house surgeon o' St  
Michael's Hospital, Newark, N. J.  
2 Ray in Office

Offices over Royal Bank  
Residence phone 128. Office 63.

## DR. H. C. LIESEMER,

L. D. S., D. D. S.

Dental Surgeon  
Graduate University of Toronto  
Office over Royal Bank  
Phone 63

Didsbury - - - Alberta

## DR. W. G. EVANS, M. D.

Physician, Surgeon

Graduate of Toronto University  
Office in New Opera House Block.  
Residence Phone 50 Office Phone 126  
Didsbury, - - - Alberta

## W. S. DURRER

Undertaker and  
Embalmer

Up-to-date Automobile Hearse  
Day or Night calls promptly  
attended to.

PHONE 140.

DIDSBURY - ALTA.



King Hiram Lodge No. 2, A.F. & A.M.  
Meets every Tuesday evening on or  
before full moon. All visiting broth-  
ers welcome.

A. V. Buckler, W.M.  
H. Morgan, Secretary



DIDSBURY LODGE No. 2, I.O.O.F.  
Meets in Odd Fellows Hall, Didsbury  
every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock  
sharp. Visiting Odd Fellows always  
welcome.

W. Keith, N.G.  
G. Lunt, V.G.  
E. S. Claybolt, Rec.-Secy.

## FRESH MILK OR CREAM.

Get your milk from a tested herd  
We deliver anywhere in town.

**Didsbury Dairy**

Phone 53

## Christmas Trees Run High at Rosebud.

A trial of considerable interest  
to many took place in Didsbury  
on Monday, January 3rd, before  
Justices Phillipson and Fisher,  
when William Imms was charged  
with the theft of a Christmas  
tree.

To accommodate the public,  
numbering from 150 to 200 per-  
sons, the case was tried in the  
Oddfellows' hall.

From the evidence submitted,  
it appeared that a Christmas tree  
had been secured for an enter-  
tainment to be given the children  
attending the Rosebud district  
school and had been placed on the  
premises until the night of the  
event. On December 16th it  
disappeared, and eventually a  
tree which witnesses claimed was  
the one obtained for the school,  
was found on the farm of the  
accused. In answer to inquiries  
made by Constable L. A. Ham-  
mich, the A. P. P. officer at Olds  
Imms said that he had got the  
tree, found in his garage, off his  
own land.

Imms' story was corroborated  
by his hired man, E. Blandy, but  
neither of them could show where  
the tree had been cut, and neigh-  
bors swore that there never had  
been a spruce tree on the Imms'  
place.

When declaring him guilty of  
the charge preferred against  
Justices Phillipson and Fisher  
informed the accused that they  
did not believe a word his main  
witness, E. Blandy, had said.

A fine of \$50.00 and costs was  
imposed. Accused gave notice  
of his intention to appeal.

The prosecution was conducted  
by W. A. Austin, our local soli-  
citor by W. A. Austin, our local  
solicitor.

## Estray.

One Red Cow, branded half circle  
over 2 and two quarter dia-  
monds connected on right hip, and  
reversed O on right ribs. Owner  
can have same on paying expenses.  
Inspected by brand reader T. Mc-  
Rea. Apply — F. Keene, Bergen  
P.O., Alta.



MELVILLE ANDERSON  
SIGHT SPECIALIST  
208 8th Avenue W., Calgary  
will be at

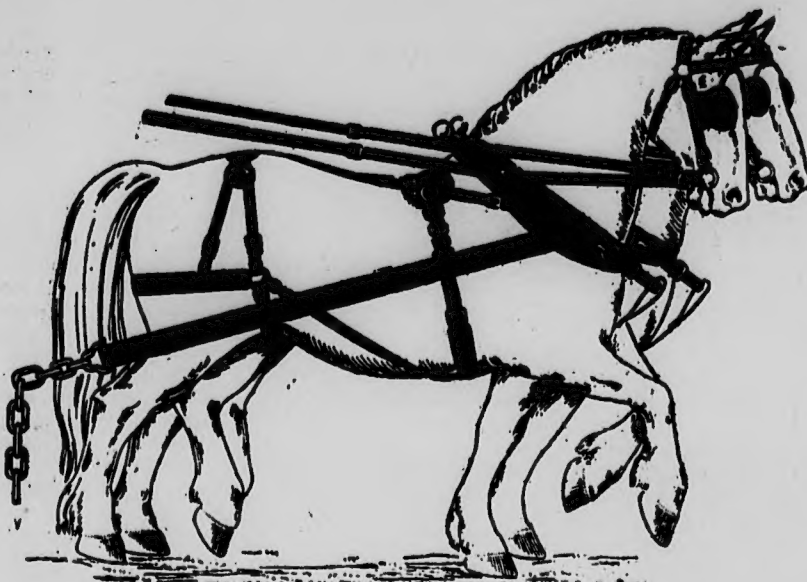
**Chamber's Drug Store**  
Didsbury,

**Wednesday, Jan. 19**  
and every two weeks.

Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor,  
General Manager of the Bank of  
Montreal, points out in the current  
Public Utilities issue of the "Finan-  
cial Times," that Canada's utiliza-  
tion of power has increased 180 per  
cent. in the past ten years and that  
the country now stands second in  
the world in the utilization of hydro  
power. When present plans mature  
Canada will have 4,500,000 h.p. in  
use, representing a capital invest-  
ment of \$254,000,000, while undevel-  
oped power wealth will still be pre-  
digious, conservatively estimated at  
\$2,000,000,000.

# We're at Your Service

for Harness Repairs of all kinds.  
Bring yours in before the rush commences.



REPAIRING and OILING.

Prompt service.

Personal supervision.

Our Work we guarantee.

Phone 43

**W. J. HILLYARD**

Didsbury

## Banff Putting on Brilliant Carnival



(1) Ice palace on Banff main street during Carnival. (2) Mary Cross, Queen of the Carnival. (3) Ice-boating is popu-  
lar at Lake Minnewanka nearby. (4) A typical dog-draw team.

Banff in winter and a complete abandonment to the  
joys of winter sports are synonymous. Thou-  
sands of people in all parts of the world have happy  
memories of Banff in summer time. Fewer people  
know of the joys of Banff in winter but this famed  
mountain resort at this season of the year is becom-  
ing widely popular. The great annual winter carnival  
there has become a classic, and is beginning to draw  
its regular devotees as does the Mardi Gras at New  
Orleans and the Rose Tournament at Pasadena.

During the week of February 5 to 12 Banff will  
once again be the scene of one of the most brilliant  
winter carnivals on the continent. The climate is  
ideal for every type of winter sport. The most ex-  
pert skiers and snow-shoers on the continent will be  
present to take part in the many competitions. The  
excellent ski-jumps that are erected at Banff will pro-  
vide a test for the most expert in this art. Fancy  
skaters will display their graceful art on the rinks,  
which will also be the scene of many an exciting hoc-  
key game. Tennis too is played on ice there. It is  
a new experiment in winter sports but provides plenty  
of thrills. Ski-joring, tobogganing, dog sled driving,  
swimming in the hot sulphur pools on Sulphur moun-  
tain, are just a few of the attractions of Banff dur-

ing the carnival. The scenery setting has not its  
equal in the world.

What Quebec City means to the east for its winter  
sports, Banff means to the west. Calgary recently  
abandoned her winter carnival to join forces with the  
mountain resort. Instead of going to sleep for the  
winter like the bears that roam the near-by moun-  
tains, Banff keeps awake and with the coming of the  
snows takes on a new lease of life. Visitors come  
from every part of the world. Ice palaces are built  
and the town takes on a gay and festive appearance.

The inset shows the Carnival Queen, Miss Mary Cross.  
The championship dog derby to "The Top of the  
World and Back" will be an outstanding event of the  
carnival. This event has become annual and provides  
the longest and most thrilling dog race in the world,  
being 173 miles in length and exceeding the famous  
Pas Derby by 23 miles. The handsome Strongheart  
trophy and substantial cash prizes attract the most  
expert dog-mushers on the continent.

The finest and most picturesque toboggan slide in  
the Dominion is in operation at Banff this season. It  
is located high up on the side of Sulphur mountain and  
the start can readily be reached by motor car. Sit-  
uated but a short distance from the curling club and  
skating rink, visitors will be able to alternate be-  
tween these amusements.



## BUY COAL DIRECT FROM MINE

To introduce VICTORY coal, mined 45 miles West of Edmonton, in the foothills of the Mountains. We OFFER in Carlots of 30 tons or over.

Double Screened Lump over 4 in. screen - \$4.00 per ton  
" " Egg from 2 in. to 4 in. - \$3.50 " "  
" " Stovenut 1 in. to 2 in. - \$3.00 " "

All prices F.O.B. cars Mine, Wabamun, Alta., C.N.Ry.  
Every ton guaranteed free from Rock, Bone or Shale.  
Make up a car with your neighbor. Send \$50.00 with order, balance C.O.D. WE REFER YOU TO ANY BANK.  
**LAKESIDE COALS, LIMITED, EDMONTON, ALTA.**

## Canada and Japan

Dr. H. M. Tory, president of the University of Alberta and chairman of the National Research Council of Canada, represented Canada at the scientific conference of all countries having an outlet on the Pacific, which was held a few months ago in Japan, and in a recent address before the Canadian Club of Saskatoon he gave some of his impressions of Japan and its people. Dr. Tory's highly entertaining and instructive address contained much food for thought on the part of Canadians.

In extent of area, Dr. Tory pointed out, Japan is about three-fifths the size of Alberta and Saskatchewan, and of that area only about twenty per cent. is capable of cultivation. Nevertheless, the islands of Japan are inhabited by almost sixty millions of people. Therefore, Japan, like the British Isles, must provide for the sustenance of its people by the importation of enormous quantities of foodstuffs, and for their employment in other ways than agriculture. Japan has as a consequence become a highly industrialized nation.

Japan is frequently referred to as the Great Britain of the Pacific, and the description is an apt one. Not only is there an analogy as noted in the preceding paragraph, but Japan, like Britain, has developed a large and growing merchant marine and is offering effective competition in the markets of Pacific countries. In another respect Japan is adopting British methods. It is importing raw materials from other lands, converting them into articles of manufacture, and then reselling the finished product even in the very countries from which the raw materials were imported.

For example, Japan is importing raw cotton from the United States, manufacturing it, and selling the manufactured articles in the United States in competition with American and British manufacturers after paying heavy United States customs duties.

In the first six months of last year Japan imported forty million more bushels of wheat than in the corresponding period of the previous year. Flour mills are being erected to grind this wheat into flour, not only to supply the home demand, but for export.

Japan, said Dr. Tory, is just as keenly interested in promoting its export trade, and just as much concerned about an adverse balance of trade, as Canadians are in respect to this Dominion. The Japanese realize that they must import huge quantities of food, and they are determined to pay for these imports through the sale of the products of their industries. This is a situation of which Canada and the world must take cognizance.

No people stand higher in the estimation and confidence of the people of Japan than do those of the British Empire. The English language is taught in all the schools, and realizing that English is, and to an ever increasing extent will be, the language of commerce, Japan is in every way encouraging its people to learn it so that within a generation or two every educated person in Japan will have a command of the language. Every year, too, the brightest students from Japanese universities are sent all over the world to learn everything in the arts and sciences that the best thought and the latest invention has to offer.

Canada has a golden opportunity before it for the development of trade and commerce with Japan on a truly gigantic scale. This Dominion has for sale an abundance of many of the things which Japan lacks and must buy. As a British people there is a friendly feeling for us. The two countries face one another across the Pacific with lines of communication already established. One thing remains for the people of Canada to learn and to do if full advantage is to be taken of the opportunities awaiting it in Japan and the Orient as a whole.

Canada is a young, large, and undeveloped country. Japan is an old land with a history under one ruling dynasty dating back to hundreds of years before Christ. The family of the present Emperor has ruled over Japan in an unbroken line for 2,600 years. Japan is a small country, densely populated. It is fully developed and highly industrialized. Its people are intensely patriotic, of a high order of intelligence, and very proud. To the extent that Canadians are obsessed with the Western idea that the Japanese are an inferior people, they will fall in making headway in Japan. Canadians will have to do business with them as with equals. It will not do to offer to Japan our third rate or even second rate products, and to regard that country as a dumping ground for what cannot be sold elsewhere. Japan will not be so treated. It must be given the best we have to offer.

If Canadians generally come to appreciate this, and act accordingly, there is hardly any limit that can be placed on the future trade between the two countries—a trade in which Western Canada will reap a rich return.

"I am at the end of my rope," remarked the lounge lizard to a chance acquaintance at the Palace. "Glad to hear it," was the response. "Now throw away the butt and smoke a good one." Fortune-Teller—"I see a tall, stout woman between you and your husband; she follows him about wherever he goes." Client—"I'm sorry for her, then—he's a postman."

## Children Cry for



**Fletcher's CASTORIA**

MOTHER:—Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Purgative, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of *W. H. Fletcher*. Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

## Winter Travel in North Hard

Fur Traders Encounter Difficulties on Trail to Edmonton

The trials and tribulations of winter travel in the northern wilds were recounted by a party of fur traders who fought their way through blizzards, snowdrifts and bitter cold, to Edmonton.

Joe Larcombe, a northern pioneer, was the leader of the group which included four other trappers.

Each had his own background of misadventure, which forced him to "hit the trail" toward civilization at this time of the season and all pooled their resources and banded together for the trip.

The party had five horse-drawn sleighs and came down from the Arctic regions by way of the Athabasca river. In places the ice was piled from 15 to 20 feet high and the little caravan was forced to travel between huge ice cliffs and other hazards. In other places the river was covered with a thin sheet of ice which broke as soon as the horses put foot on it. Several times the animals went through but were rescued. To negotiate the most dangerous stretches of the river, the trappers unharnessed the horses and pushed the sleighs to safer ice. Constantly two members of the party preceded the sleigh fleet, breaking test holes to spot the safest way.

The men faced extreme hardships on their long trek. The mercury at times skidded to 20 and 40 below zero. During one night's halt, the caravan was caught in a howling blizzard and in the morning two sleighs were buried under heavy snow drifts and had to be shovelled out. The men were pretty well worn out when they reached Edmonton.

## Painful Sprains, Bruises, Restored By Nerviline

There is soothing power in Nerviline that has made it famous for nearly fifty years past. It sinks in deeply, it penetrates quickly, it takes away the pain from a sprain and brings grateful relief to bruised, aching muscles. If your joints are stiff and you are suffering from Rheumatism or Lumbago; if Neuralgia bothers you now and again, use trusty old "Nerviline." It works wonders, whether the pain is internal or external. Get a large 35-cent bottle from your dealer today.

The city of New York has brought suit to recover damages from the owner of a truck which ran into a tree on the Grand Concourse in the Bronx, thus rendering the tree 'unfit to adorn.'

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

## To Determine Pure Linen

Moisten the fingers with water and apply to the surface of linen. If pure, the moisture will be visible on the reverse side almost immediately, but if not pure the moisture will not be absorbed so easily.

**Powerful Medicine.**—The healing properties in six essential oils are concentrated in every bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, forming one of the most beneficial liniments ever offered to the use of man. Many can testify as to its power in allaying pain, and many more can certify that they owe their health to it. Its wonderful power is not expressed by the small price at which it sells.

## New Electric Locomotive

Invention of Consulting Engineer Successfully Tested in England

Successful tests with a new electric locomotive are announced by the Westminster Gazette, London, which, the paper asserts foreshadows electrification of the entire railway system of the country.

It is the invention of Captain William Burtell, a consulting engineer. It dispenses with the need of substations along the route and utilizes a current of only 200-250 volts, thus eliminating the live rail danger. This voltage suffices for the usual speed on the level and extra power needed for gradients is obtained from storage batteries carried on the trains.

The following sign appeared recently on a golf course in Scotland: "Members will refrain from picking up lost balls until they have stopped rolling."

Minard's Liniment for chapped hands.

W. N. U. 1663

## Gargle



## ASPIRIN

Dissolve two "BAYER TABLETS OF ASPIRIN" in four tablespoonfuls of water and gargle thoroughly.

Swallow some of the solution. Don't rinse the mouth. Repeat gargle every two hours if necessary.

This is an effective gargle proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians.

**Safe** Accept only "Bayer" package. Look for the "Bayer Cross."

Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists. Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monocyclic-acid of Salicylic Acid (Acetyl Salicylic Acid, "A. S. A."). While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer manufacture, to assist the public against imitations, the Tablets of Bayer Company will be stamped with their general trade mark, the "Bayer Cross."

For  
**TONSILLITIS**  
and  
**SORE**  
**THROAT**

## Half Million Still Needed

Parliament Asked for Further Sum for Home Bank Relief

Canada's Parliament is to be asked to vote a further sum of half a million dollars for the relief of Home Bank depositors. Three million dollars have already been voted and disbursed in payments to all depositors for sums under \$50 and to a considerable number having on deposit over \$500 and who made affidavits that they were in need.

All the money voted by Parliament has now been expended and there are still claims totalling half a million dollars, which the judges of the exchequer court, who heard the claims of depositors for sums over \$500 hold have just claims and should be recognized along with the others.

Their lordships are prepared to make a strong recommendation to the Dominion Government in connection with these claims and will ask Parliament to vote the money. No new claims, however, will be received as the time has now expired.

## Manitoba's Population

Substantial Gain is Shown Over the Census of 1921

The population of Manitoba is shown at 639,056 in the preliminary statement of the last census taken, as of June 1st, 1926, an increase of 28,938 over 1921; and 85,196 over 1916. There are 360,861 rural and 278,195 urban inhabitants, the former having increased by 12,359, and the latter by 16,579 since 1921. Winnipeg's population, placed at 191,998, shows an increase of 12,991 for the five years; Brandon, at 16,443, an increase of 1,406 and St. Boniface, at 14,187, an increase of 1,366.

Some men are too intellectual to be intelligent.

**MURINE**  
Keeps EYES  
Clear, Bright and Beautiful  
Write Murine Co., Chicago, for Eye Care Book

## This Trade Mark Is Worth Thousands

To look at the simple little trade mark shown above, the average man or woman would not think that it is worth many thousands of dollars—but it is.

Any first-class Baker, knows that it is the mark of quality which is stamped on all our waxed paper and which means that the paper is absolutely pure and sanitary.

Only the Appleford Company can use it and that's why the best Bakers buy their paper only from Appleford. It is a real protection for their food stuffs and a real protection to your health.

Look for this Trade Mark on all paper when you buy food products.

We also make the famous Para-Sani Waxed Paper for household use.

Made in Canada By

**Appleford COUNTER CHECK BOOK COMPANY, LIMITED**

"The Old Reliable Firm"

HAMILTON - - - - - ONTARIO

Pacific Waxed Paper Co. 320 Davis St. Vancouver  
WESTERN AGENCIES  
Hunter Martin & Co. Regina  
Western Waxed Paper Co. 290 McDermott Ave. Winnipeg



## SITUATION IN CHINA ASSUMES GRAVE ASPECT

Shanghai.—White foreigners endangered as a result of anti-foreign agitation number more than 1,000 in Hankow and the neighboring city of Wuchang, headquarters of the Cantonese government.

The little foreign colony, 585 miles from the mouth of the Yangtze, is in the midst of a hostile Chinese population of more than 1,500,000, inflamed by speeches of radical leaders who have detailed alleged wrongs from which the Chinese have suffered at the hands of British and other foreigners, but more particularly the British.

Suspicion was expressed here that the Cantonese government leaders were aware of the attacks contemplated upon the British concession before they took place—the suspicion being strengthened by the slowness with which Cantonese troops went to the aid of the British when the concession was attacked. Not until rioting had been proceeding for four hours on that day did the Cantonese troops appear.

The Cantonese government has issued many declarations of its intention to abolish all foreign concessions in China and to end the asserted "imperialism" of Great Britain, United States and other foreign nations.

London.—All missionaries have been ordered to quit their stations in the interior of China, a Peking dispatch to The Daily Mail asserts.

Reports of anti-Christian risings in the Yangtze regions and Szechwan are being received daily, the correspondent adds. Missionaries have been maltreated, the women insulted and the mission stations looted.

### Palace Air Ship

New Air Line Between Spain and South America to be Palatial

London.—A hotel of the air, that will provide every luxury available at the finest hostels of the world, for persons travelling between Spain and South America is now building at Friedrichshafen, according to a despatch from the Geneva correspondent of the Daily Express.

The new air monster will be a dirigible capable of carrying 100 passengers, luggage, crew and mails.

It will be finished in September and will make a number of European trips before being put into the trans-Atlantic service.

### Find Interesting Documents

Attempts to Save Life of Late Czar Disclosed in Records

Leningrad.—Stored away in the winter palace, telegraphic records of attempts made to save the lives of the late Czar of Russia and his family during the days preceding their murder were found by research workers today.

Three hundred messages that passed between members of the Kerensky regime, all of them relating to protection of the exiled Imperial family, were among the documents found. Coded telegrams that referred to Nicholas Lenin have not yet been deciphered.

### Liquor Mystery

Victoria, B.C.—Detectives are attempting to solve, on behalf of the federal customs authorities and the provincial liquor control board, the mystery of the disappearance of a portion of the liquor cargo of the schooner Chris Moeller, which has been held in port here for nearly a month on recommendation of the customs commission which investigated conditions on the British Columbia coast last month, according to a story published by the Victoria Times.

### Was Pirate on Great Lakes

Minneapolis.—Captain David H. Ross, pirate and first mate of the only corsair that ever ravaged the Great Lakes, who 2 years ago fled from Detroit, with a price on his head, is dead at his home here.

### Killed in Avalanche

Moscow.—An avalanche in the Khankassky district of Siberia has killed 22 miners. The great mass of snow and ice completely engulfed a number of miners' barracks.

W. N. U. 1663

## Will Make Survey Before Choosing Port

Harbor Expert to Examine Both Outlets for Bay Line

Ottawa.—With five and a half million cubic yards of material to move from the channel in Nelson Harbor, with an unknown sea bottom and a general lack of knowledge about Churchill, Frederick Palmer, the British expert called in by the government to advise on the Hudson's Bay Railway project, is not expected to make a report on the matter until he has made a personal survey. Mr. Palmer has left for England, but will return in July when the Hudson's Bay littoral is more accessible and will then go north to conduct his investigation.

Mr. Palmer has made a brief but thorough study of the reports and documentary evidence on the project. Officials of the railway department have been queried in a way they have never been questioned before. Mr. Palmer wanted facts, and he sought them, knowing by his long experience what facts he wanted. Railway department men declare he knew his job and has a thorough-going manner of making his inquiries.

The fact that Mr. Palmer cannot make his report before next fall at the earliest will not delay his work, it is said. There is much to be done on the railway section already constructed, much rehabilitation of the road to be effected. The Government intends to carry the project to its logical conclusion, but will not be stampeded into rushing the work; only to find that it has taken the wrong route, built the port in the wrong place, made the wrong provisions for the ships that will come. It will be sure it is right, then go ahead.

## Radio Telephone Service Is Ready

Callers Over Atlantic Phone Lines Mechanism Worth Millions

London.—Proof positive that everything is in readiness for the opening of trans-oceanic telephonic service between London and New York, was provided by the announcement that already the London telephone operators who will be employed to make the connections between London and New York have thoroughly familiarized themselves with the names of all New York telephone exchanges.

Mr. Shaughnessy, the Assistant Engineer-in-Chief at the General Post Office, who is in charge of British wireless services, has had several conversations with New York, all of which were eminently satisfactory. The voices at the other end, he said, "were as clear as a bell." In fact, according to him those talking from New York across the ocean to London might have been in the next room instead of 3,000 miles away.

Mr. Shaughnessy called attention to the fact that since only one trans-Atlantic telephone conversation can go on at one time this means that each person speaking will be using exclusively for himself or herself something like \$5,000,000 worth of complicated telephone mechanism and equipment.

### Wheat Pool Official Weds

Regina, Sask.—Archibald J. MacPhail, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool and the inter-provincial selling agency for the western Canadian wheat pools, and Miss Marion Grenfell Baird, Regina, were married recently at Springfield, Mass. Mrs. MacPhail was secretary to Mr. MacPhail, when he was holding the position of secretary-treasurer of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' association.

### To Meet at Winnipeg

Winnipeg.—The British Medical Association will hold its 1930 convention in Winnipeg, according to official notification received here. Selection of the Manitoba capital for this important gathering marks the third time that the organization has held its convention outside of the British Isles.

### On Funds for Half Century

London.—The Commercial Travellers' Benevolent Institution has just received news of the death of one of its annuitants. This woman was on the funds for half a century. Her late husband had subscribed \$16 in 1876. She benefited from the institution to the extent of about \$7,000.

## OPPOSITION OF U. S. PRESIDENT TO LARGER NAVY

Washington.—President Coolidge has sought to spike the guns of "big navy" men in the House with a warning that budget estimates for the department for the next fiscal year must not be over-stepped.

Intervening at a time when sentiment in the House favorable to the construction, was growing, the President, in a letter to Representative French, Republican, Idaho, in charge of the naval supply bill, declared the budget "represents my best judgment and that I feel it my duty to defend it and support it."

Accepting the warning as a challenge, Representative Britten, Republican, Illinois, a member of the naval committee and an advocate of a larger navy, told the House that "when the President is wrong I refuse to follow him, and he is wrong in this instance."

Several sections of the measure, among them those to maintain the navy's personnel at its present strength, were approved recently, but under agreement the more controversial provisions, including those relating to cruisers, were held over.

## Uniformity of Butter Grading

Dairymen Meet at Saskatoon to Discuss Question

Saskatoon.—Improvement of the quality of butterfat for the British market to meet competition, not only from the British Dominions, but also from the butter exporting countries of Europe, such as Denmark, Holland and Latvia, was the subject of the discussion at the conference of creamery operators and government officials here.

Discussion centred around efforts to secure uniformity of cream and butter grading. Definite action in connection with any changes was deferred until the meeting of the Western Canada Dairy convention at Edmonton on February 9, 10, 11 and 12, when producers and manufacturers of the four western provinces will meet. Delegates from Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan were present at the meeting.

## Taking Census of Russia

Soviet Officials Report 145,000,000 But Returns are Incomplete

Riga, Latvia.—Russia's population at present numbers 145,000,000, according to incomplete returns which Commissar Ossinsky has received from 100,000 soviet officials who are trying to gather complete statistical facts regarding the inhabitants of the Union of Soviet Republics.

Reports to date, M. Ossinsky says, show illiteracy is increasing in Russia instead of decreasing, and the census takers say the population regards them as agents of the devil, working against Christ, whom they believe is preparing to end the world.

### Testing Out Oil Fields

Edmonton.—Twelve oil companies are either drilling or have sites located in the Ribstone district, near the border of Alberta and Saskatchewan. The present year will see this oil field thoroughly tested.

## Heavy Hail Losses Paid

Saskatchewan Farmers Receive \$1,250,000 in Insurance During Past Year

Regina.—Payment of hail losses during 1926 to 5,200 farmers in Saskatchewan by the Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association amounted to \$1,250,000, states J. J. Lamb, secretary manager.

The total payment for hail losses for the whole of 1926 will be compiled at the end of the fiscal year, January 31, 1927, and submitted to the annual meeting of the directors January 12 in the association's office in Regina. The annual convention will be held March 1, in Prince Albert, and the agenda for the convention will be drawn up at the meeting of the directors.

The three retiring directors of the association are: J. J. Lamb, Regina; R. E. Van Fossen, Luskland; and J. R. Near, Pinkham.

Despite the doubling of the figures of 1926 in comparison with claims and payments during 1925, Mr. Lamb stated, the reserve fund of the association would not be impaired in any way. He stated that while the amount was unknown yet an addition to the reserve fund would be made.

It is expected the total payment on hail losses during 1926 will amount to approximately \$1,275,000. There are still 20 claims pending and ownership of the policies and to whom payment should be made must be decided before cheques are issued in payment. All this work is likely to be completed before January 31.

## French Plans For Atlantic Flight Fail

Funds Needed and Completed Planes Unsatisfactory in Tests

Paris.—France is losing ground in preparations for the Paris-New York non-stop flight due to the financial difficulties facing some of the builders and the little success of certain models tested by others.

The Giant Penhoet hydroplane built at St. Nazaire and tried throughout the summer, has been found too slow to make the Atlantic crossing because of excessive weight. The de Monge single-wing flying cabin which Bous-soutrot hoped to use next summer was never completed due to the builder's failure to obtain funds.

It is now reported that the company which was building an aeroplane for Tarascon has failed and the constructors are looking around for money to complete a trans-Atlantic plane and to continue to manufacture other planes. This company holds the world's speed record of 488 kilometers an hour.

Whatever may be the result of the campaign, it now appears that the French prospects of winning the Paris-New York prize for 1927 are very slim, although there seems no immediate danger of another country beating them.

### Will Visit Canada

London.—Premier J. G. Coates of New Zealand, who came here for the Imperial Conference, was a passenger on the Aquitania sailing Jan. 4 for New York. Later he will go to Montreal and thence to Vancouver.

He expects to reach New Zealand in time to welcome the Duke and Duchess of York, who have left for their trip to the Antipodes on H.M.S. Renown.

## MANY APPLY FOR CHANGES IN CUSTOMS TARIFF

Ottawa.—Applications for changes in the customs tariff continue to accumulate in the office of the tariff advisory board.

The number of investigations now under way is forty, an increase of four in the last few weeks. The board will meet on January 18 to continue several of these, and further sessions are expected to take place before the close of the month. There is increasing evidence that organizations of business men and others are taking keen interest in the work of the board and are preparing to use the facilities it offers to get their point of view before those whose responsibility it is to decide on questions of tariff policy.

Word has been received that the Canadian Council of Agriculture is submitting a memorandum on the application for an increase in duty on corn and cane syrups. The council, also, intervened in the application for increase in duties on fruits and vegetables.

Of the forty applications now before the board one-half are for tariff increases and the other for decreases. The applications cover a wide range of commodities.

There are six cases relating to textiles, which are of vital interest to manufacturers and importers of garments and gabardines, cottons, woolen goods, and similar goods; four of the applications relate to machinery of various kinds such as pumps and pump parts, water wheel governors, small hand sprayers, electric and power plants and so forth; three applications refer to the iron and steel industry; three to chemicals, two to wood products; two to food products; two to the pulp and paper industry; and two to ropes and twines; while there are other problems referred to the board respecting coal and coke, magazines, oil, player piano music rolls, furniture, objects of art, tin, livestock and leather products.

## Liabilities Are Smaller

But Commercial Failures in Canada Show Slight Increase

Toronto.—A small increase in the number of commercial failures, but a considerable decrease in liabilities, is shown by the report of failures for 1926, completed by R. G. Dun and Company.

With a total of 21,773, last year's defaults exceed by a little more than 2 per cent those for 1925, whereas an indebtedness estimated at \$409,232,278 for the 12 months just ended is nearly 8 per cent below the amount for the immediately preceding year. The number of insolvencies is the largest reported for any year since 1922, but the liabilities are the smallest for all years back to 1920.

### Presentation to Lt.-Gov. Cockshutt

Toronto.—Lieutenant-Governor Harry Cockshutt, of Ontario, at government house was the recipient of a valuable piece of gold plate, the gift of a number of Toronto's prominent citizens. Sir William Mulock, chief justice of Ontario, made the presentation and referred in a brief address to the high esteem in which his honor was held by the citizens of Toronto generally.

### Guard Valuable Paintings

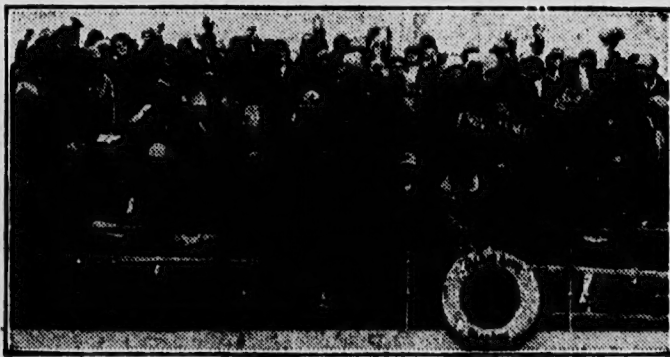
London.—Strong police forces are patrolling the galleries of the Royal Academy day and night protecting Flemish masterpieces valued at £10,000,000 (about \$50,000,000) which have been collected from all parts of the world for a temporary exhibition. Never has the famous academy housed anything so precious.

### Saskatchewan Liquor Board

Regina.—Increasing the membership of the Saskatchewan liquor board from one to two, the Saskatchewan government will seek legislative sanction for amending the Liquor act to provide for the administration being under the direction of the board instead of the executive council.

### Girl Inherits \$3 Millions

Somerville, N.J.—Fifteen-year-old Doris Duke, probably the richest girl of her age in the world, is worth \$53,451,069, it is shown in an accounting of her father, James Buchanan Duke, tobacco magnate.



Scottish Lassies for Canadian Homes

This cheery group of young women is only a part of the large number of domestics that have been brought to Canada this year by the Salvation Army. The Canadian Pacific Liner "Montclare" carried this happy party across the water recently. They are now located at various centres across the country and many will doubtless find permanent homes here, not as hired help but as wives of some Canadian young men. Some of these young women came from Aberdeen, Edinburgh and Ayr, but the majority of them are from Glasgow and district. The Salvation Army have sent 600 girls to Canada this year in accordance with an agreement with the Canadian Government.



## we have every reason

TO believe that Flour is going to advance very soon. Take advantage of this tip and put in a supply of ROYAL HOUSEHOLD before the rise.



"Squirrel Brand" Peanut Butter for the children. We have it in one, two and five pound tins.

White Fish

Feed Father--  
PEP.  
You'll be surprised



## Cressman Bros.

## .. Petroleum Coke ..

THE MODERN FUEL.  
ABSOLUTELY NO ASH. ALL HEAT.

### Recommended for Furnace and Heater.

For sale by FISHER & EDWARDS, Phone 51

## Special Bargains

Two new model Chevrolet Cars, complete, with bumpers, spare tire, heater, and radiator shutter.

### ADSHEAD GARAGE

PHONE 58

DIDSBURY

## Reduce Your Grocery Bill

TOYS - CIGARS - TOBACCOS

ROOMS

C. Y. SOON

Loyalty pays. Patronise your local printer.

## Church Announcements

### EVANGELICAL NOTES.

**Church Services**  
Sunday  
10.30 a.m.—Morning worship.  
11.30 a.m.—Bible School.  
7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship.  
8.30 p.m.—Senior League of Christian Endeavour.  
Wednesday  
7.15 p.m.—Junior League of Christian Endeavour. Study of Catechism, etc.  
8.00 p.m.—Praise and Prayer Service.  
Friday  
8.00 p.m. Choir practice.  
H. E. Roppel, pastor

The series of "Pilgrim's Progress" sermons, beginning next Sunday evening will be introduced on the screen by aid of lantern slides. To get the full benefit of this pilgrimage series everybody interested should plan and determine to be in attendance for every sermon and especially the introductory one. It is the key to the series.

According to Evangelical custom the subscriptions for our church periodicals are all renewed by the pastor at the end of each calendar year, except where individual changes are requested. But for unavoidable reasons the 1927 renewals have been delayed up to this week. This explains the probable non-appearance of some of the papers. Subscribers may also note that the subscriptions are payable to the pastor at your earliest convenience.

### In Appreciation

We, the undersigned desire to express our appreciation of the sympathy extended to us; from far and near, through letters, by kind words and deeds. These have been a source of strength and cheer in our recent bereavement following the sudden death of our father, Mr. Christian Sturm, who died on December 24th in Toronto, Ontario.

Rev. and Mrs. Roppel.

## KNOX AND WESTCOTT UNITED CHURCH

The minister from time to time has been taking up a series of sermons based on the dealings of Christ with the individual. Last Sunday the theme was Christ and the Dying Thief. For Sunday January 16th, the text is taken from the Old Testament, and found in Proverbs 25:2, "It is the glory of God to conceal a thing." We must concede that if God were to let out everything, we should be blinded by the blaze of it. We can see at a glance that if there be such a being as an Almighty God behind this immense universe and within its details, it follows that a large portion of His purpose and His method must necessarily be hidden from us. The sermon strikes a deep evangelical note, and while of a different nature from the theme of last Sunday, the underlying thought is that of the Great Architect and His relation to the individual.

Preparations are being made for a Missionary Sunday to be held on January 23rd or January 30th. The subject is "Trinidad, the land of the humming bird." This will be illustrated by beautiful pictures and will give one an insight to the work as it is carried on in Trinidad.

While the church is well filled each Sunday night there is room for more. Come, bring your friends. An hour of fellowship gives strength to life.

### LONE PINE HALL

Weather permitting services will be held in the hall, Sunday, January 16th at 3 p.m. Rev. A. E. Hayes will conduct the services and will tell the story of the "Crucifixion."

### FOR SALE

One cow to freshen in a week.  
J. R. Cunningham,  
Phone 124.

## Didsbury Boys Figure Prominently

Aylmer Liesemer was chosen by the C. S. E. T. Boy's Parliament this Christmas as one of the members from Alberta to form a National Boy's Parliament either at Winnipeg or Ottawa. Aylmer has been a member of the Alberta Parliament for three years. The last year he was the leader of the Re-Constructive party.

Russell Berscht was appointed leader of the Co-Operative party for the next Parliament which will be held in Calgary during the Christmas holidays.

Arthur Reiber (Tuxis) and Frank Moyle (Trail Ranger) also represented this district. Arthur has been chosen secretary for the next campaign for Central Alberta.

Boys' Work throughout Alberta has been successful in the past year. The financial issue was \$6000.00 and \$4700.00 has been raised. Didsbury's objective is \$75.00.

## Rugby.

The regular meeting of the Rugby W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. R. MacFarlane on Thursday, January 6th, with an attendance of 19 members and two visitors. After the regular business was transacted, two excellent papers on the origin and value of Women's Institutes were given by Mrs. E. Parker and Mrs. Hughes, Sr.

It was decided at this meeting to hold a social evening in the form of a Valentine party, at the Rugby school on February 11th. There is to be no admission fee connected with this entertainment.

The meeting was closed by singing "God Save the King," after which a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

The next meeting of the Rugby W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Swingle on the first Thursday in February.

A dance will take place at Rugby on Friday, January 21st.

## Auction Sale.

Under instructions from Geo. Konchuck, I will sell by public auction on the S.E. 1-4 Sec. 10-31-4, west of 5, 15 miles west and 1 south of Didsbury, or 2 miles east and 1 mile south of Elkton, at Riley Moon's corner, on

**Thursday, Jan. 20**

the following:

### HORSES

Grey team, 6 and 7 years  
Team bay geldings, 6 and 8 yrs.  
Bay mare, 11 years  
Bay gelding, 9 years  
Bay gelding 5 years  
Grey gelding, 6 years  
Team bay geldings, 5 years

Bay saddle pony, 6 years  
Hackney mare, 8 years  
Black colt coming 2 years  
Bay mare, 9 years  
Team bay geldings, 5 and 6 yrs., wgt. 3000  
Bay gelding, 7 yrs., wgt. 1300  
Child's saddle pony, 8 years  
Colt, sucking  
Black mare, 6 yrs., wgt. 1350  
Bay mare, 3 yrs., wgt. 1300

### CATTLE

12 head cattle coming 2 years  
11 head cattle coming 1 year  
19 cows, makers, 6 just fresh  
Calves, week old  
Hereford bull coming 2 yrs.  
18 head of pigs, weight 95-110 lbs.  
Brood sow and one boar

### MACHINERY

Adams wagon, double box, new; running gear; cart and bob sleighs; John Deere triple gang; Deering under all in time order; 2 sets of democrat harness; lots of eveners, collars and the usual small stuff; binder; 3 wagons; 2 bob sleighs; 2 gang ploughs; triple plough; 6 section harrows; mower; 2 hay racks; single disc; one 12 h.p. engine; one gram chopper; one circle saw; one set of stretching harness; one democrat; six sets plough harness; one single harness; fanning mill just like new; cook stove; heater; one 10x12 granary; stock saddle; pair spurs, silver plated; Ford car.

**TERMS**—All sums at and under \$40 cash; over that amount 3 months credit will be given on approved joint bankable notes bearing 8 per cent interest. 4 per cent off for cash on all amounts over \$40.

### SALE AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK

### LUNCH AT NOON

J. W. PHILLIPSON, Aust.  
W. G. LIESEMER, Clerk  
GEO. KONCHUCK, Owner

### TENDERS FOR SCHOOL HOUSE

Sealed tenders will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Westerdale School District No. 377 at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer up to noon, February 1, 1927, for the erection of a one roomed frame school building after Plan Number 2. Plans and specifications may be obtained from Secretary-Treasurer on payment of deposit of \$5.00. Plans must be returned within 24 hours and deposit will then be refunded. A marked cheque for five per cent of the amount of tender should be enclosed with each tender as a guarantee that same is bona fide. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Wm. C. Wigley, Sec.-treas.  
P.O.—Westerdale; nearest station—Didsbury; miles distant—14.

### FOR SALE

Pure-bred Bronze Gobblers, from Prize Strain Gobbler and University Strain Hens.  
C. H. Mardon  
Phone R 1418, Didsbury.

## CHOICE MEATS

Best Quality Only.

Bring in Your Hides.

J. KIRBY

Phone 127

CITY MEAT MARKET